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Subject: RE: [Fwd: RE: N. Ali, #5033260 - submission of revised thesis] - URGENT

I suggest you fore go talking with the examiners. Just send in the thesis for review. It will pass on its merits.

From: nali065@uottawa.ca [nali065@uottawa.ca]
Sent: Wednesday, July 04, 2012 8:53 AM
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Dr. Robertson and Dr. Rouhi:

Please find below the responses from Dr. Hastings. One good news out of this email is I can speak with each examiner. The not so good news is I have until July 9th 2012, very short time, to resolve the comments made by four examiners. What do you suggest and recommend I do at this stage?
Please advice soonest.

Many thanks, Nicholas

----- Original Message -----
Subject: RE: N. Ali, #5033260 - submission of revised thesis
From: "DEANGRAD" <deangrad@uottawa.ca>
Date: Tue, 3 July, 2012 4:12 pm
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Dear Mr. Ali,

Please find (below) the answers to your questions - I have copied parts of your email (in italics) in order to simplify the presentation.

In summary, I would really appreciate your guidance and help in answering the following requests and questions:

(a) As I am at a critical juncture in my graduate studies, can you kindly

offer just one (1) additional week to complete the revisions to the review sheet? YES - you may have until July 9th, 2012

(b) May I have your approval to initiate dialogue with each

examiner? YES - it is very common for students to consult with examiners at this stage

(c) If possible, I would like to consider seeking an additional examiner

to independently review my work. Can I do this, and further do you recommend doing so? NO, it is not possible to add an additional examiner at this point, nor would I recommend doing so.

(d) Lastly, I could find no information from the School of Human Kinetics

website nor the FGPS website on options for recourse and appeal available to a student at the thesis resubmission stage, and possibly facing failure. Please advise what University of Ottawa policies and procedures on recourse and appeal applies in this situation? + (e) Moreover, what recourses are possible if the examiners come back and

give a "fail" that denies me a thesis defense, and FGPS advises that "I must withdraw from the program"?

At this point, you must go through the basic steps in the process: that is, you must resubmit your thesis, have it evaluated by the examiners and wait for the results. If the results are positive (all 1s or 2s, the thesis will proceed to defense. If the results are negative, then the decision will revert to me as Dean of the FGPS. My decision can be appealed, first to the Executive Committee of the FGPS and, if you wish, to the Appeals Committee of Senate.

I hope this answers your questions and provides you the information you require. I wish you the best of luck with the final stages of your thesis.

Sincerely,

Ross Hastings

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